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FOR AMBASSADOR YOUNG FROM DICK MOOSE

E.O. LL652: GDS  
TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS R.), CG, XA, XJ  
SUBJECT: US AFRICA POLICY: SHABA SOVIET/CUBAN  
INVOLVEMENT

REF: USUN 2446

L. THE SECRETARY AND I DISCUSSED REFTEL THIS MORNING.  
WE AGREE THAT CONSULTATION WITH SENIOR AFRICAN LEADERS

CONCERNING AFRICAN PROBLEM SOLVING WOULD BE DESIRABLE  
IN ADVANCE OF KHARTOUM MEETING. THIS IS PARTICULARLY  
TRUE GIVEN THE CRITICISM FROM SOME QUARTERS THAT  
WESTERN ACTION IN SHABA BYPASSED THE OAU COUPLED WITH THE  
FLAP OVER THE US ATTITUDE TOWARD FRENCH CONCEPT OF  
A PAN-AFRICAN PEACEKEEPING FORCE. LIST OF THOSE TO  
BE CONSULTED SHOULD COVER NOT ONLY THOSE CITED IN  
YOUR CABLE BUT LEADING FRANCOPHONES AND INDEPENDENTS  
AS WELL.

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2. WHILE THERE IS NOT MUCH TIME TO DO SO, A WASHINGTON  
STUDY OF SPECIFIC IDEAS, YOURS AND OTHERS, WOULD BE A  
USEFUL PRELIMINARY TO CONSULTATIONS. WE SUGGEST THAT  
USUN WORK WITH AF AND S/P ON THIS. IN ADDITION, YOU  
AND DEPARTMENT MIGHT SOLICIT COMMENTS FROM THE FIELD ON  
REFTEL. RESULTS COULD BE INCORPORATED IN STUDY.  
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